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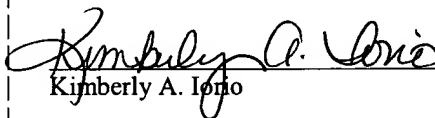
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**RESPONSE**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 1, 2005, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.